2	Waitemata District Health Board
	Best Care for Everyone

First Name:	Gender:		
Surname:			
	AFFIX PATIENT LABEL HERE		
Date of Birtl	1: NHI#:		
Ward/Clinic	Consultant:		

General

Date:

Updated by: Signature:

Patient Registration					
IS THIS AN ACCIDENT /INJURY: YES OR NO (Please circle one)					
Preferred title:  ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Ms ☐ Miss ☐ Other		Marital Status: ☐ Married ☐ Partnered ☐ ☐ Separated ☐ Single ☐	Divorced Widowed		
Surname:		Former Surname/Maiden Nam	e/ Also known as:		
Given Names:		Date of Birth:	Age:		
Permanent Home/ Street Address:		Which ethnic group do you be			
Telephone numbers:		Mark the box(es) which apply to you. For information on why ethnicity information is collected please see over page –You can select a maximum of 3.			
Home: Work:		□ Māori □	Niuean Chinese		
Cell phone:		│ □ Samoan □ │ □ Cook Island Maori □	Korean		
Next of Kin: (For an explanation please see over page)		☐ Cook Island Maori ☐ Tongan☐ Indian☐ If your ethnic group is not in the list above please☐			
Name:		state:	-		
Address:		Smoking Status (please tick appropriate box):			
Telephone number:		□ Never Smoked			
Relationship:		☐ Current Smoker (within 4 weeks)			
		☐ Ex Smoker			
Alternative/Emergency contact: (For an explanation please see over page)		Local Address at time of Admission: (If different from permanent address)			
Name:					
Telephone number:Relationship:		Telephone number:			
Family Doctor or GP: (Full name, address, including telephone number where possible)		When and where were you last in hospital? (This is so that we can locate any other medical notes you may have)			
Name:		Inpatient/Outpatient?			
Name of Practice:		What hospital?			
		When?			
		Surname at the time?			
Residency Status: (Hospital charges may apply to non-NZ residents. See over page)		What language do you speak?			
		Do you require an interpreter? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
Country of Birth Are you a permanent NZ resident □ Yes □ No		_	□ Myself □ Other		
Occupation:		Print Name:			
•		Relationship:			
Religion: (optional please see over page)		Signature:			
		Date:			

Please turn over the page for more information on the questions that we are asking you to complete in this form.

This information is critical for your care and in some cases may be required by the Government.

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# 1: Why do you need my ethnicity information?

Ethnicity data are part of a set of routinely collected administrative data used by health sector planners, funders and providers to design and deliver better policies, services and programmes. Better information will help improve every New Zealander's health by providing a sound basis for decision-making.

In New Zealand, ethnic identity is recognised as an important dimension of health inequalities. The impact of those factors is particularly evident amongst Māori and Pacific peoples, whose health status is lower on average than that of other New Zealanders.

Ethnicity is self-perceived, so the person concerned should identify their ethnic affiliation wherever feasible. A person can belong to more than one ethnic group and the ethnicities with which a person identifies can change over time.

## 2: Religion

This information is made available to our chaplains. Complete this box if you are affiliated to a particular religious or cultural group. This will enable Waitemata District Health Board to provide appropriate support if (i) there are any religious considerations that you would like us to know about; (ii) if you would like or need religious support. Our Chaplains provide non-denominational support, friendship and counselling, as well as referral to other religious groups.

## 3: Next of Kin and Alternative/ Emergency Contacts

Waitemata District Health Board needs the name(s), addresses and telephone numbers of your preferred contacts. These contacts do not have to be a family member, but it is necessary that the person(s) that you list here knows that you have nominated them. This information allows the hospital to call them to support you, and/ or to accept interim decision-making in an emergency, or allow us to divert enquiries about your health to that person.

#### 4: Charging Policies:

Only people meeting the eligibility criteria defined in the Government's 2003 Eligibility Direction policy are entitled to publicly-funded care in New Zealand. There is a detailed guide at <a href="http://www.moh.govt.nz/eligibility">http://www.moh.govt.nz/eligibility</a> but essentially eligible people are New Zealand citizens and permanent residents; work permit holders here for two years of more; specific categories of students; refugee and asylum seekers; and Australian and UK citizens who become acutely unwell.

All patients will be asked to provide proof of eligibility before treatment or after urgent treatment - either a photocopy of:

- your passport (both the first page and the page showing any relevant visas or permits);
- a NZ birth certificate;
- a NZ Citizenship certificate; or
- a letter from Immigration of acceptance of refugee status.

No one will be refused urgent treatment, but ineligible patients will be billed for this afterwards.

In order to determine your eligibility we may disclose information to the New Zealand Immigration Service. Only the minimum information necessary to determine your eligibility (generally your name, gender and date of birth) will be disclosed, and only for the purposes of determining your eligibility.

For more information go to the MoH website <a href="http://www.moh.govt.nz/eligibility">http://www.moh.govt.nz/eligibility</a>, or call the Eligibility Office on: 09 440 6920.

#### 5: Patient Privacy

Waitemata District Health Board (WDHB) is required to protect your privacy and will only use your information in order to provide you with care and treatment or for reasons directly related to the provision of your health services. In certain circumstances WDHB may be legally required to provide some of this information to other government agencies e.g. NZ Police, Income Support or NZ Immigration Service.

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